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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of

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Art Unit 2626

Appln. No.: 10/512,407

Exr. P. Shah

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For: APPARATUS AND METHOD FOR CODING AND DECODING SPEECH  
SIGNAL SUPERIMPOSED ON MUSIC OR ENVIRONMENTAL SOUND

AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR § 1.116 AND  
SUMMARY OF SUBSTANCE OF PERSONAL INTERVIEW

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
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Sir:

In response to the Final Rejection dated June 17, 2008, please amend the above-captioned application as follows: